N interesting bit of theatrical history is retailed by May Boley, the bundle of avoirdupois and good cheer who is in "Roly-Boly Eyes," in connection with one of

earliest professional engagements. "Once in a while all star casts are assembled without even the knowledge the producer," says Miss Boley. 'An instance was Frank Perioy's pro uction of 'The Chaperons' in Middetown, Conn., about a dozen years I was a member of the company at the opening performance, but when think of the constellation of stars that emerged out of the ranks of that cast my humble efforts to become famous pale into insignificance

"At the rehearsal at Middletown

MOTION PICTURES.

STRAND - The management will present a double feature bill with Charlie Chaplin in his latest whimsy, "A Day's Pleasure," and Will Rogers in "Jubilo," and every one is advised to come prepared to laugh double. Rogers plays the part of a misunderstood hobo who cows the world with kindness. Besides an Outing Chester scenic, the Criterion Quartet and Dorothy South will ow over vocal selections, while the orchestra will put their shoulders to Liszt's "Twelfth Hungarian Rhapsody."
RIALTO - Constance Binney

n "Erstwhile Susan," baked over from the stage play in which Mrs. Fiske starred, will wear out the resisting powers of the Pennsylvania Dutch with cuteness. Sunshine comedy, "Back to Nature, Girls," will be even louder and wilder than the solos, and comic opera selecand the overture from "Patrie," which will reverberate from the orchestra. CAPITOL-"Blind Husbands,"

written and directed by Eric Stroheim, will be presented, with Stroheim, take it on the word of the press mentor, playing nearly everything except the feminine lead and the Alpine scenery. The photoplay deals with neglected wives, and Stroheim, portraying the Austrian lieutenant, who strafes the indifferent husband's domestic happiness, shows that he can smile and smile and be movie actor still. This feature will have a scenic investiture, a prologue and special music under the supervision of John Wenger, the art director, and comedy and scientific reels. Ned Wayburn's Demi-Tasse Revue, he finale of the third act of 'Manon Lescaut," and a concert by Pryor's band will live up to Ben Atwell's tons of publicity in popularizing the programme.

RIVOLI—"More Deadly Than the Male," with Ethel Clayton incarnating the melodrama and the comedy, will be another of those films that are helping Broadway to specialize on sex. Fatty Arbuckle will heave through "The Hayseed," and another rural feature, though not attempting to be funny, like Fatty, will be "Memories," based on Whittier's "In Schooldays," which will be the first venture of Prizma at presenting a complete story without turning pale. The usual music will be turned

MOSS'S BROADWAY 'Male and Female," Cecil B. De Mille's production, will put up with the crowds here this week.

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on the night previous to the performance Fred Rankin, one of the authors, was directing several numbers. He noticed one show girl whose feet did not seem to be mates, in dancing at least, and he singled her out as one to leave the company. The musical director objected to the girl's dismissal, declaring that her voice was the best in the chorus. I guess that director knew his business, for she of the disobedient feet was Louise Gunning, one of our greatest singing stars.

"There was also a chorus man who didn't seem to have much of a singing voice, but he could dance circles around us all. Still no one predicted any great success for him because he would never take his work seriously. He fooled us all, though, for he was Donald Brian of musical comedy fame. "In a minor part was a little bundle



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of nerves and energy, all enthusiasm for her work. Her weekly pay envelope was very thin in those days. But times have changed for the little lady, who can now get as many contracts in vaudeville as she likes with a very fat such as crossing her forelegs and giv-\$3,060 pay envelope, too. Her name is Eva Tanguay.

"Eya Tanguay was succeeded in the part by a dainty girl who was ex- nia, ceedingly ambitious to become an im- Douglas Fairbanks is the proud

was the late Mabel Hite. Then there was a good natured girl ture freak.

AMUSEMENTS

big chance, for I fell heir to her part "Walter Jones, Marie Cahill and Eddie Redway were others of the big cast who have since attained stellar

"All of which goes to show that you never can tell," concludes Miss Boley.

A trick cow, one that does all the stunts of a well trained dog or horse, with a few added accomplishments, ing an almost perfect interpretation of the shimmy, is the latest addition to the many wonders of southern Califor-

personator. We all knew that she was owner of the cow, and the manner in a born mimic, but we never suspected which the animal pesforms is attribthat within seven years she would uted to the untiring efforts of the climb to the heights of stardom. She owner, who has devoted nearly five intelligence to do tricks. Douglas immonths of his time to develop the pas-

who would never follow the lines of The uniqueness of this particular her part. She used to insist when re- cow, which has been trained to toss her monstrated with by the director that tail up and down, and not from side latest United Artists production, artist's model, her husband is being and it is now being cut and titled by she could write better lines than the to side like an ordinary dairy speci- "When the Clouds Roll By," Douglas pursued in the early morning hours Director James Young. Mr. Young author. I guess she could, too, for she men, was brought about through a Fairbanks is en route to the Hopi In- by Central Park patrolmen who object is also part author of the adaptation, was Trixle Friganza, and she has since wager between the star and his dian reservation, Arizona, where he to the big scene where Constance sent many an original quip tingling brother John. The latter claimed about will be the guest of that tribe, besides Emerson will continue to direct until Goulding, who is now abroad finding over the footlights. When Miss Fri- a year ago that he had never seen or spending several days at the Grand Talmadge plucks a bouquet from the new stories for Miss Talmadge's future ganza left the company I received my even heard of a cow capable of enough Canyon.

THE HIP.

Again shall this box contain a paean as to the charms of Belle Story, the fairy queen of "Happy Was there ever seen a Days." fairy with a lovelier smile? Did anybody ever hear a fairy with a lovelier voice? Is there, indeed, any respect in which a superior fairy could be found? If such a person has ever been seen in all fairydom kindly send details to this office. In the meantime Miss Story is, as a fairy queen, all that we could possibly desire.

mediately secured the cow, and since

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Robert Fairbanks, production manager, Tom Geraghty, scenario editor and Frank Campeau accompanied the star. During the absence of the party the latest picture is being prepared for distribution under the supervision of John Fairbanks and Director Victor

to a minor throat operation-which has been postponed because of an inflamed membrane which made an immediate operation impossible-Anita Loos is having her portrait painted. The artist is Karl Anderson, who desires to immortalize the demi-tasso photodramatist in the pose of a vampirical Spaniard. Meanwhile John Emerson is keep-

ing the wolf from the collaborators' door by personally directing the now that time has been secretly teaching Constance Talmadge picture, "In her first National picture, "A Daugh-her what she knows. Search of a Sinner." While Miss Loos ter of Two Worlds," from the novel Having completed the filming of his lives the indolent life of the beautiful of the same name by LeRoy Scott, shrubbery near the reservoir. Mr. First National productions.

David Kirtland, who disected the Emerson-Loos picture, "A Temperamadge studios.

A new \$1,000,000 theatre, Grecian in architectural design, will be built by William Fox in The Bronx. The site for the new theatre was purchased By way of taking things easy prior from the estate of Charles W. Tarbox. It is on Tremont avenue, beween Washington and Park avenues.

> Two puncherettes-or cowgirls as they are generally known-have been engaged to support Buck Jones in "The Square Shooter," which was filmed under the title "Camouflaged." They are the Misses Clara Miller and

Frances Terry. Norma Taimadge has just finished having collaborated with Edmund BROOKLYN THEATRES. MAJESTIC - "Some Time.

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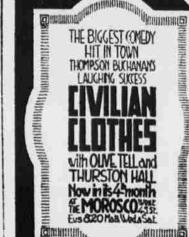
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